

An Act to enable the Justices of Queen Anne's County Court, for the Time being, to levy, on the taxable Inhabitants of Saint Luke's Parish in the said County, a Quantity of Tobacco for building a Chapel in the said Parish, to have been assessed at any Time between the Twentieth Day of December and the Twelfth Day of January now last past, has not been assessed agreeable to the said Act, and have prayed that an Act may now pass, to empower the Justices of said County, at their November Court which shall be in the Year Seventeen Hundred and Seventy-one, to assess, on the taxable Inhabitants of said Parish, the aforesaid Quantity of Tobacco, for the Use as by the said Act is directed.

The Justices of Queen Anne's County to assess on the taxable Inhabitants of St. Luke's Parish, 30,000 lb. of Tobacco;

II. Be it therefore Enacted, by the Right Honourable the Lord Proprietary, by and with the Advice and Consent of his Lordship's Governor, and the Upper and Lower Houses of Assembly, and the Authority of the same, That the Justices of Queen Anne's County, for the Time being, shall, at their November Court, to be held in the Year One Thousand Seven Hundred and Seventy-one, assess, on the taxable Inhabitants of Saint Luke's Parish aforesaid, the Sum of Thirty Thousand Pounds of Tobacco, together with a Commission to the Sheriff of Five per Cent. for collecting the same: Which Sum of Thirty Thousand Pounds of Tobacco, together with his Commission for collecting the same, it shall and may be lawful for the Sheriff of Queen Anne's County, for the Time being, to levy and collect, by Way of Execution, of and from the taxable Inhabitants of Saint Luke's Parish aforesaid, in the same Manner that other Parish Taxes usually are, or may be lawfully levied and collected.

which may be discharged as other Parish Taxes;

III. Provided always, and be it Enacted, That the said taxable Inhabitants may, and they are hereby empowered to pay and discharge the said Assessments, in the same Manner that other Parish Taxes may be paid and discharged by the Laws of this Province, which shall be in Force at the Time of levying and collecting the same.

and by the Sheriff paid to the Vestrymen and Churchwardens;

IV. And be it further Enacted, That the Sheriff aforesaid shall, and he is hereby required to pay to the Vestrymen and Churchwardens of Saint Luke's Parish aforesaid, for the Time being, or to their Order, all such Sums of Money and Tobacco as he shall collect and receive by Virtue of the said Assessment and of this Act, his Commission aforesaid excepted, in such Manner and at such Time as other Parish or County Levies ought to be paid by the said Sheriff.

and by them applied, as by the aforesaid recited Act is directed.

V. And be it further Enacted, That it shall and may be lawful to and for the Vestrymen and Churchwardens of the Parish aforesaid, for the Time being, and they are hereby authorized and required to apply and lay out the Money and Tobacco so to be levied, collected and paid, as by the aforesaid recited Act is directed, and to no other Use or Purpose whatsoever.

C H A P. IV.

An ACT to establish a Market in Frederick-Town in Frederick County, and for the Regulation of the said Market.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it has been represented to this General Assembly, That the Inhabitants of the said Town had built and erected a large and convenient Building, calculated for a Market House and other publick Uses, which, if put under a proper Regulation, might be rendered very useful to them and the Inhabitants of the said County; and it is prayed, that an Act of Assembly may be passed for holding and regulating